



REV. RAY LONG

July 23, 2015

Rev. Hobert Ray Long, 78, of Yukon passed away Wednesday, July 22, 2015 in Carilion Roanoke Memorial Hospital, Roanoke, VA.

Born January 16, 1937 in Caretta he was the son of the late James Long and Callie Johnson Long. He was a self-employed carpenter, and was a very talented wood worker. He had a gospel music ministry and traveled with his family as "The Singing Long Family."

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by two brothers, James and Clinton Long, and a sister Mae Hagerman.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife, Wanda Allen Long of the home; a son, Dennis Long and wife Teresa of Vale, NC; two daughters, Darlene Day and husband Ernest of Jewel Ridge, VA, and Donice Dunford and husband Dennis of Honaker, VA; three brothers, Rev. Darrell Long and wife Ada of Jolo, Ernest Long and wife Barbara of High Point, NC, and Bill Long and wife Earline of Florida; one sister, Aldie Jordon of Coalwood; and 6 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

Funeral service will be conducted Saturday, July 25, at 11 a.m. in the Canebrake Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Darrell Long officiating.

Burial will follow in Tom Sparks Cemetery, Bradshaw Mt.

Friends may call at the church after 6:30 p.m. on Friday.

The Douglas Mortuary of Welch and War is serving the Long family.